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NOTES IN SEASON.

WILLIAM WOOD & Co. have just published the fifteenth edition of Ganot's "Physics," revised and enlarged by E. Atkinson, the standard authority on this subject in the largest colleges and universities of the world.

"MONTICELLO: a picture of the past," by Arthur C. Butts, illustrated by W. J. Wilson, has just been issued by the Knickerbocker Press. It is a poem devoted to the natural beauties and to the tender memories of this exquisite spot in Sullivan County, New York. The author sings from the heart, and his poem must appeal to all who have spent fair summer days among the hills and trees and lakes of Monticello.

Doubleday & McClure Co. publish to-day Conan Doyle's first book of poems, entitled "Songs of Action," which the London Times says "ought rapidly to become popular." Readers of "The White Company" are well aware that Conan Doyle can write songs, and the present volume will pleasantly remind them of the happy hours which they spent over that thrilling romance. They have also ready Mary E. Wilkins' "The People of Our Neighborhood," with illustrations by Alice Barber Stephens; General Nelson A. Miles'

"Military Europe;" Owen Rhoscomyl's "The Lady of Castell March;" Edward S. Ellis' "Klondike Nuggets," a book for boys, illustrated by Orson Lowell; and "Life's Book of Animals," sure to delight young and old.

LITTLE, BROWN & Co. are bringing out new editions of several standard books. The new edition of Edward Everett Hale's famous story, "The Man Without a Country," has a new introduction by the author, written in the year of the war with Spain and showing the application of the story to the present situation. New editions of Charles Lowe's "Prince Bismarck" and Henry W. Lucy's "Right Hon. William E. Gladstone" are specially timely; and the new edition of "The Little Flowers of St. Francis of Assisi" will have engravings from Moretto's painting of St. Francis in the Milan gallery, and from Giotto's painting "St. Francis Preaching to the Birds." The fourth volume of Harnack's "History of Dogma" is also just ready. This work is acknowledged by experts to represent the highest scholarship and ripest expression of a trained and sympathetic student.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS will publish during September "The Goede Vrouw of Mana-ha-ta," by Mrs. John King Van Rensselaer, an exhaustive history of the manners and customs of social life in New York City from the time it was founded until the death of the last of the Dutch matrons; "War Memories of an Army Chaplain," by Rev. Dr. Henry Clay Trumbull, and a new edition of "The Navy in the Civil War." a series of three volumes by men celebrated as naval officers, which gives the whole narrative of naval operations from 1861 to 1865. Two more volumes are ready in the new edition of George Meredith's works: "Evan Harrington" and "One of Our Conquerors." "Causes and Consequences," by John J. Chapman, is written to prove that man is unselfish; the third volume, concluding the series, is ready of Edmond Stapfer's Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ;" and Abraham Kuyper's "Encyclopædia of Sacred Theology" has been translated from the Dutch by Rev. John Henrik De Vries. Several new juveniles are also ready, including three new books by Henty, and new editions of Amelia B. Beard's "Girl's Handy Book" and Mary White's "The Book of Games," the latter greatly enlarged.

PERSONAL NOTES.

W. A. BUTTERFIELD, for the past eight years with W. B. Clarke & Co., booksellers, is now connected with De Wolfe, Fiske & Co., of Washington Street, Boston.

JAMES BOWDEN has just arrived in this country for a short visit by the steamer Teutonic. He comes upon his own account and also in the interest of George Routledge & Sons, and hopes the trade will take notice of his stay among them.

GEORGE J. McLEOD has just arrived in Toronto, Canada, where he will represent Rand, McNally & Co., of New York and Chicago, J. B. Lippincott Co., of Philadelphia, The Lothrop Publishing Co. and Lamson, Wolffe & Co., of Boston, and George Routledge & Sons, of New York. His headquarters will be at Toronto, but he will travel all through Canada.

WEEKLY RECORD OF NEW PUBLICATIONS.*

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D. (12mo: 20 cm.); S. (16mo: 17½ cm.); T. (24mo: 15 cm.); Tt. (32mo: 12½ cm.); Fe. 48mo: 10 cm.). Sq., obl.

nav., designate square, oblong, narrow books of these heights.

*Æschylus. The Prometheus vinctus; with introd. and critical and explanatory notes, by E. E. Sikes. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 6+197 p. 16°, (Macmillan's classical ser.) cl., net, 60 c. 2474

*Antoninus, Marcus Aurelius. The golden book; tr., with notes and a glossary. by Meric Casaubon, N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 16°, (Temple classics.) cl., 50c. limp leath., 75 c.

*Balzac, Honoré de. Novels; ed. by G. Saintsbury. In 42 v. V. 31, A princess's secrets, (Les secrets de la Princesse de Cadignan;) tr. by Ellen Marriage, preface by G: Saintsbury. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 2+332 p. 12°, cl., [2476] Cadignan;) tr. by Ellen Marriage; with a

*Bible. New Testament. The Acts of the Apostles; with notes critical and practical by Rev. M. F. Sadler. New cheaper ed. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 16+ 522 p 12°, el., \$1 50. [2477

Blatchford, Rob., ["Nunquam," pseud.]
Merrie England. Chic., C: H. Kerr & Co.,
1898. c. 95. 189 p. S. (Lib. of progress, no. 28.) pap., 10 c. [2478 Ser notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., June 8, 1895, [1219.]

*Bowhill, J. H. Questions and answers in the theory and practice of military photography. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 8+172 p. 12°, cl., net, \$3. [2479]

Brewster, Frances Stanton, and Thomas, Mrs. Emma A. Song stories and songs for children. N. Y., American Book Co., 1898. c. '97, '98 139 p. sq. O. bds., 60 c. [2480] Rote songs and music, with prosecution to Rote songs and music, with prosestories. The prose selections are arranged as introductory description to the songs. The words and music of most of the songs were written especially for this book, which is intended for mothers and teachers who do not possess the story-telling faculty. The methods followed are based on actual esperience. One of the compilers is supervisor of music in the Datreit multipropular sections.

of music in the Detroit public schools *Bunyan, J: The pilgrim's progress from this world to that which is to come. N. Y.. this world to that which is to come. The Macmillan Co., 1898. 16°, (Temple classics.) cl., 50 c.; limp leath., 75 c [2481

Butts, Arthur C. Monticello: a picture of the past; il. by W. J. Wilson. N. Y., The Knickerbocker Press, [G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1898.] c. 2+55 p. sq. O. cl., \$1.

A poem which pictures the rugged scenery for which the region in and around Monticello [Sullivan which the region in and around Monticello Isunivan Co] is so justly noted: describes also incidents of village, home, and public life, notably a scene which happened during a session of the local court, and introduces real persons. The country tavern plays an important part. Founded on the recollections of the author, whose early life was spent near the scenes described. Tastefully illustrated in half-tones.

Carpenter, Frank G. North America. N. Y., American Book Co., [1898.] c. 3-352 p. [1263.]

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maps, II. D. (Carpenter's geographical reader.) cl., 60 c.

A descriptive study of the physical features, resources, and inhabitants of the Continent of North America, made by means of imaginary tours in the United States, British America, Mexico, and Central America. Especial attention is given to the natural phenomena, political and social life, and industrial interests of the United States. Intended to be used as a supplementary reader with scholl geographies.

Cheyne, T. Kellv, D.D. Jewish religious life after the exile. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1898. c 21+270 p. D. (American lectures on the history of religions, 3d ser., 1897-1898.) cl., \$1.50

1897-1898.) cl., \$1.50 [2484]
Contents: Lecture I, Religious life in Judaca before the arrival of Nehemiah 2, Nehemiah, Ezra, and Manasseh; or, the reconstitution of the Jewish and the Samaritan communities. 3. Jewish religious ideals; hindrances to their perfect development. 4. Jewish wisdom: its meaning, object, and varieties. 5. Orthodox and heretical wisdom; contemporary Levitical piety. 6, Judaism: its power of attracting foreigners; its higher theology; its relation to Greece, Persia, and Babylon. Index. Index to Biblical passages.

Dabney, Julia P. Songs of destiny and others. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1898. c. 3-180 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

*Dixon, Rev. Amzi C, D.D. Lights and shadows of American life. N Y. and Co., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1898. 197 p. 12°. cl., \$1.

*Gifford, Rev. Dan. L. Every-day life in Korea: a collection of studies and stories. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1898. 231 p. il. 12°, cl., \$1.25.

Glanville, Ernest. The lover's quest: [a novel.] N. Y. and Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., [1898.] e. '97. 3-340 p. D. (Globe lib., v. 2, no. 287.) pap, 50 c. [2488.]

*Goldsmith, Oliver. The traveller, and The deserted village; ed., with introd., notes. and appendices, by Rev. A. E. Woodward, The Macmillan Co., 1898. 22+184 p. 12°, (Bell's English classics.) cl., net, 50 c

*Gray, T: Gray's English poems, original and tr., from the Norse and Welsh: ed., with introd. and notes, by D. C. Tovey. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 16+290 p. 16°, (Pitt Press ser.) cl., net, \$1.10.

Gridley, Albert L. Jesus only. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1898. 189 p. 12491 12°, cl. 75 c.

*Harkness, J., and Morley, F. Introduction to the theory of analytic functions. The Macmillan Co., 1898. 15+336 p. 8 net, \$3.

Hector, Mrs. Annie French, ["Mrs. Alexan der," pseud.] A fight with fate. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1898. c. '95, 4-300 p. D. (Lippincott's select novels, no. 208.) el 2493 \$1; pap., 50 c. [2493] See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., April 11, 1896.

^{*} In this list, the titles generally are verbatim transcriptions (according to the rule of the American Library Association) from books received. Books not received are indicated by a prefixed asterisk und this office cannot be held responsible for the correctness of their record.

Hird, Frank. The cry of the children: an exposure of certain British industries in which children are iniquitously employed; il. by D. Macpherson. N. Y., M. F. Mans-

il. by D. Macpherson. N. Y., M. F. Mansfield & Co., [Agts. for Ja. Bowden,] 1898.

4-96 p. il. D. cl., 75 c. [2494

A plea against child labor, founded on personal observations made in the East End, London. Box-making, belt and umbrella making, paper bags and sackmaking, artificial flower making, and furniture polishing are on the list of trades which are quoted as employing children at starvation wages. The canal is another source of employment for poorly paid children. Child-life, under this system of drudgery, is carefully studied, and the low mental, moral, and physical status of the children of the East End is shown to be due to the social evils ventilated. The factory laws and school system are relatively considered.

*Kelynack, T. N., M.D. Renal growths: their pathology, diagnosis, and treatment. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 13+269 p. 8°, cl., net, \$4. [2495

*Lowndes, M. E. Michel de Montaigne: a biographical study. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 14+286 p. 12°, (Pitt Press ser.) [2496 cl., net, \$1.

McLennan, W: E. An open letter to a high churchman. Cin., O, Curts & Jennings. 1898. 44 p. D., pap., net, 10 c. [2497]

*Mallock, W: Hurrell. Labour and the popular welfare. New ed., with appendix. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 12°, cl., [2498

Masson, Tom. The Yankee navy. N. Y., Life Publishing Co., 1898. c. 124 p. il. O. [2499 A popularly written and richly illustrated history of the navy from Revolutionary days to the present.

*Mills, Wesley. Nature and development of animal intelligence. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 12+307 p. 8°, cl., \$2. [2500]

*Milton, J: Paradise regained, and other poems. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 16°, (Temple classics.) cl., 50 c.; limp leath., 75 c. [2501

*More, Sir T: Utopia; tr. into English by Ralphe Robynson. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 16°, (Temple classics.) cl., 50 c.; [2502 timp leath., 75 c.

*Motley, J: Lothrop. The rise of the Dutch Republic: a history. New ed.; with a biographical introd. by Moncure D. Conway. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 3 v. 57+510; 6+559; 6+553 p. por. 12°, (Bohn's standard lib.) cl., net, \$3. [2503]

*Moulton, R: Green, ed. The modern reader's Bible: a series of works from the sacred scriptures presented in modern literary form; ed., with introd. and notes. In 22 v. V. 22. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. T. Contents: V 22. The Gospel, Epistles, and Revelation of St. John.

Nägeli, K: W: v. A mechanico-physiological theory of organic evolution: Summary. Chic., The Open Court Pub. Co., 1898. c. 3-53 p. D. (The religion of science lib., no. 82.) pap., 15 c.

Nageli was a noted German botanist, who died in Municit. May 10, 1891. He is best known from his studies in the physiology and development of plants. This Summary 'from his 'Mechanico-Physiological theory of organic evolution' bas been chosen for publication on account of its difficult accessibility to American students. American students.

O'Nall, Rev. J. L. Jerome Savonarola: a

sketch. Bost., Marlier, Callanan & Co., 1898. c. 7+232 p. por. D. cl., net, \$1. [2506

Issued in commemoration of the fourth centenary of Issued in commemoration of the fourth centenary of the death of Jerome Savonarola, who was executed on May 23, 1498. The writer says: "I have not approached the subject with any notion of presenting the famous preacher in a new light, nor have I written for scholars to whom the copious literature on Savonarola is available, but for those to whom many of these works may not be accessible." In the first part of the sketch the public career of Savonarola is presented after the manner of a chronicle; in the second part an endeavor is made to give a picture of the man, illustrated by his own writings, which are considered in an appendix. A second appendix contains a list of 49 works on Savonarola, and other bibliographical matter covering nine pages.

*Palmer, Roundell, Earl of Selborne. Letters to his son on religion. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 7+165 p. 12°, cl., \$1.25.

Protestant Episcopal Church. The parallel Psalter: being the prayer-book version of the Psalms; and A new version arranged on opposite pages; with an introd. and glossaries by Rev. S. R. Driver, D.D. N. Y., Oxford University Press, (American Branch,) 1898. 44+486 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

An effort to show by comparison the defects of translation in the text of the Psalms, comprising the Psalter, as contained in the modern "Book of common prayer," according to the version of the church of England. The translation referred to as the prayerbook version is a reprint with slight variations of the "Great Bible," issued in seven editions, 1539-1541; this precedes the new version. There is also a purpose to give a comprehensive rendering of the Psalms. Annotated. notated.

Publishers' trade list annual, 1898. 26th year. N. Y., Office of The Publishers' Weekly, 1898. 5025 p. Q. cl., net, with duplex index, \$2.

Smiley, Ja. B., and Storke. Helen L. The beginner's Latin book. N. Y., American Book Co., [1898.] c. 282 p. D. cl., \$1.

*Smith, W: B: Infinitesimal analysis. V. 1, Elementary: real variables N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1898. 15+352 p. 8°, cl., net, \$3 25.

Sombart, Werner. Socialism and the social

sombart, Werner. Socialism and the social movement in the 19th century; with a chronicle of the social movement, 1750-1896; tr. by Anson P. Atterbury, with introd. by J. B. Clark. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1898. c. 17+199 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [2512] These lectures, eight in number, were originally delivered in Zurich in the fall of 1896. Their titles are: Whence and whither; Concerning Utopian socialism; The antecedents of the social movement; The development of national peculiarities; Karl Marx; The trend toward unity; Tendencies of the present; Lessons, Prof. Clark says: "Prof. Sombart's work contains little that is directly controversial, but it gives the impression that the purpose of the socialists is based on a fallacy—that it is not, in reality, in harmony with evolution, and that it will not prevail."

Stables, W: Gordon, M.D. A fight for freedom: a story of the land of the Tsar. Bost., A. I. Bradley & Co., 1898. 4+328 p. il. D. cl., \$1.25.

A Russian lady and her three children, all in their "teens," while travelling through the Scotch lakes make the acquaintance of Oswald McGregor, a young Highlander, and his sister. This friendship continues through the story, and is often tested. Ivan, the Russian boy's father, is an exile in Siberia, where Ivan follows him in a few years. The rescue of father and son, with Oswald's part in it, and some love-making among the young folks, make the story.

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Books for the "Weekly Record," as well as all information intended for that department, must reach this office by Tuesday morning of each week.

Publishers are requested to furnish title-page proofs and advance information of books forthcoming, both for entry in the lists and for descriptive mention. An early copy of each book published should be forwarded, as it is of the utmost importance that the entries of books be made as promptly and as perfectly as possible. In many cases booksellers depend on the Weekly solely for their information. The Record of New Publications of The Publishers' Weekly is the material of "The American Catalogue" and so forms the basis of all trade bibliography in the United States.

"I hold every man a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help and an ornament thereunto."—LORD BACON.

THE LIBRARY AND THE BOOKSTORE.

We reprint elsewhere the interesting discussion at the recent conference of the American Library Association, which started from Mr. Dewey's remarks on "The function of the library as a bookstore" and his ante-mortem obituary of the small bookseller.

It is, of course, true that the bookstore of the small town is not a flourishing institutionfor a number of causes, of which the growth of the free town library may or may not be one. The influence of the library on bookbuying is a very difficult question on which to obtain the facts; indeed, no facts have been brought forward to show whether in a given community more books or less books are now purchased per capita than were bought a generation ago. A census on this point in a few towns would be of great interest, and it would be of value if some enterprising librarians in towns or cities not too large in size would make statistical studies on this subject for the benefit of their own association and in the general interest. We have always inclined to the optimistic view that bookbuying has not decreased and that public libraries have stimulated rather than lessened the demand for books for the home library, but in the absence of specific facts no one can speak with authority. It is undoubtedly true that the selling of books has taken a

different channel in later years—and for this the publishers are not without blame. The post-office does a good part of the work of distribution effected a generation ago by the local bookseller.

To make the state or the town a wholesale bookseller, giving the retail purchaser goods at wholesale rates, is really, when the thing is looked in the face, an extreme form of socialism. There is a difference of cost between wholesale and retail trade to the full extent of the distributing machinery, which is oftentimes a very large part of the final cost of an article sold at retail. This cost would be concealed in the salaries paid by the community to the so-called librarian, and in this way the economic laws of trade would be interfered with in the most objectionable way, diverting ordinary trade from the individual to a paid officer of the state, whose work economically is apt to be more costly than that of the private individual. Public bakeries are probably much more justifiable than public bookstores, or, what is the same thing, the use of the public library as a substitute for the bookseller. In fact, a first result of Mr. Dewey's remarks will be to raise the question whether the public library is not going too far in certain directions-a question which those interested in good books and their useful distribution would certainly be loath to

But if the library is not to replace the bookstore, it is difficult to see how it should be called upon, as Miss Kelso suggests, to become, as it were, an advertising agent for the publisher or bookseller by issuing lists of books suitable to the Christmas season or for presents. To give the public information as to sources of knowledge on topics of the day has become one of the important functions of the local librarian, and this work is exceedingly well done in many communities. It is an open question whether libraries, indeed, should trench upon the commercial side by advertising the prices of books. All these points, in fact, are questions of limitation, and it is difficult to draw an exact line beyond which the library should not go. Common sense on the part of librarians can generally be trusted to keep their work within fair bounds.

The spicy comment of a member of the trade on Mr. Dewey's remarks, asks why books should not be written to order for the state. That has already been done, in the educational field, with rather unsatisfactory results. Indeed, there have been two sides to free books in the schools. The plan has seemed more or less necessary because of free and compulsory education, yet it has been the occasion of not a little scandal and has developed other serious difficulties.

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The public library will never take the place of the home library, which should in its small way pattern both the reference and circulating departments of the library proper. That is, each home should have its shelf of referencebooks-not only the dictionary and the cyclopædia, but some of the popular books of information on the several sciences, etc.; and it should also have the shelf of favorite books, the poets, and stories which are friends of the family, and the like. No home is complete without a library like this. With the Sunday newspapér, a day's reading for five cents or less; the ten-cent magazine, which really gives a wonderful wealth of good material for its dime; and other plethora of reading, more or less good, there has been for the time a discouragement of bookbuying-simply because there is no time left in which to read booksmuch more serious than any rivalry from the public library. Yet even the newspaper and magazine must still leave room for the small home library. It should be the hope both of the library profession and of the book trade that in each small town there may be a bookstore as well as a library, the bookseller and the librarian working hand in hand toward the same end. That this has been difficult, if not impossible, under recent conditions of trade must be admitted, but we hope the time will come when the bookseller will reach a greater importance thin ever he has had before.

THE FUNCTION OF THE LIBRARY AS A BOOKSTORE.

At the recent convention of librarians at Chautauqua the following discussion took place which we reprint from the proceedings as given in the Library Journal.

MELVIL DEWEY. — I want to present some thoughts that I have had in mind for years but have never publicly expressed till within a year or two. We all believe that there is no better expenditure of public money than paying the salary of a competent librarian and assistants, who in a public library shall spend time in helping to select good books and inducing people to borrow them and keep them from a day to a month. We all know that with the best books in the world — the literature of power, the literature of information — while it is a great thing for a man to borrow a book and keep it a week, it is a vastly greater thing for him to own it, keep it on his shelf, and when the mood strikes him put his hand out and read it for five

or 10 minutes. If it is a wise thing for the brarian to take time in lending books, it is a sti wiser expenditure for the public to pay a librarian who shall help in the selection of book and who shall bend his best thought and ene gies to inducing people to own these books who, when the public comes to the library shall show them the different editions and in form them of the prices; and who, if the reads is willing to buy and pay for the book that would otherwise be lent to him, will sell him the book at wholesale prices, receive it, unpack if and hand it out to that reader. In other words the librarian becomes the direct rival of the bookstore, doing business at public expense.

At first thought it will seem that this is inter fering with legitimate trade and that we ar going to kill off the bookstores. But bear i mind that the bookstore in the small town is thing of the past. This condition has been de veloping since the first library meeting in 1870 and booksellers know that it is only the large towns that can support a bookstore. The so called bookstores of small towns and village are merely fancy goods stores, a competer bibliographer or literary adviser is almost un known in them, and it is only once in a whil that you find a relic of the old-time bookstore With mails, telephone, and cheap express it ha become possible for a man in the remotest place to buy books of the publisher. I think it is be yond the wildest dreams of any one who really knows the facts to hope that a bookseller car conduct a profitable and successful bookstore in the smaller communities of the country. It is because I respect the bookseller's calling so much, and because I believe he has an educa tional function of the highest order, that I plead for putting that function under public patronage, so that the librarian shall have as his function not only the lending of books but the more important function of putting in the ownership of every man, woman, and child, and every home, every good book for which he can induce them to pay the wholesale cost. That is my thesis.

Miss TESSA L. KELSO. - If it is true that the library is doing away with the bookstore, then I think that one of the most important influences of the library has failed, because as thoughtful men and women we must go back to the fact that Mr. Dewey started out with - that people must own books before they can receive from them the real good that lies in the influence of books. I do not believe that the bookstore is to be entirely suppressed in the future; but I believe that Mr. Dewey has contributed somewhat to the extinction of the bookseller in contending that a person who buys 12 books should have the same discount as a person who buys In spite of all, people must buy books, and I do not believe we are yet socialistic enough to maintain public bookstores. If the library really is educating people and leading them to culture, they will want to own books, and no lending of books will ever take the place of ownership. If it does, it will be a sad day

for all of us.

I would like to see librarians take up the responsibility of aiding book-ownership a little more extensively; instead of making lists on Spain to back up newspaper controversies let

them print lists (giving prices) of books under such heads as "Books suitable for birthday presents," or "Books for Christmas," and come listill oraoks neroks; ary, ader that the

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bine these lists with exhibits of the books themselves. If there is a bookseller in the same town, the librarian should purchase from that bookseller. Last year, in going over the purchases of books for the Christmas season, made in August, September, and October, by dozens of booksellers in small towns, it was painful to see the class of books that booksellers were certain they could sell to mothers and fathers in the towns, to be given as presents for Christmas time. It showed that the librarians, with their libraries and their consciousness of being literary advisers-in-chief of communities, had made very little impression on the mothers and fathers in those communities. But you can change such conditions: you can help to good bookbuying by publishing special priced bulletins, and in many ways. It seems to me that there is nowadays only the most prosaic tendency apparent in the purchase of books, and I think librarians could by such means as I have indicated both raise the level of selection and help the bookselling in their town. I should be sorry to think that you would take Mr. Dewey's advice or believe that the bookseller cannot survive in the same town with the librarian. If he cannot, something is wrong, for there should be a place for each.

W. H. TILLINGHAST, speaking on the "Encouragement of private bookbuying," said:

If I should confine myself to repeating "Encourage private bookbuying, encourage private bookbuying, encourage private bookbuying" for three minutes I should say about all that I have to say - yet not quite all - for one may buy books and buy books and be without a library still.

A bookseller in a college town complains that students do not now, as they did 50 years ago, utilize their college years in buying from him with the deliberate intention of securing good libraries of the best writers. Without attaching any special importance to this particular case, I think it very possible that while there may be no great lack of private bookbuying there is less selective purchasing of good books for permanent possession - I will not say than there used to be, but than there ought to be; and while I acquit the public library of any very important share in causing this, the fact is due, I believe, to manners of thinking and methods of life, of which the public library is one expression.

As children we are taught the uselessness of buying books, and leave the public schools without a single specimen of the books we have used to put upon our shelves. If as we grow older we come into situations where the public library will not entirely satisfy our needs, we can buy products of the press, things in the shape of books, so cheaply that we can afford not to take care of them - to which, indeed, there is no inducement - and can replace with others when we have destroyed them, or lost them, or given them away.

I believe that all who have influence in training children, and all in positions to affect the general thought and practice in this matter, should endeavor to create or to foster the contrary attitude of mind, should encourage the desire to own a library containing some good reference-books, the best works of literature, and the best books of information in line of personal interest, and encourage, too, the conviction that a library is never finished, no

more finished than is a home, where there is always some new object of use or beauty to be acquired, or something whose usefulness is

exhausted to be replaced.

To this end teachers can do something, the press might do much, and surely librarians can do something. I would press upon your attention this opportunity for good work, this duty which it lies upon you to perform toward the public. I close, therefore, as I began, by saying, "Encourage private bookbuying the buying of good books in good editions, at a fair price, of regular booksellers, for permanent possession. And if any of you see after careful thought no way in which you can exert this influence, give your attention to a careful avoidance of anything in your attitude to the public which can discourage private bookbuying or cause it to be thought that you regard it as unnecessary because of the public library.

M. D. BISBEE. - As wealth is increasing and people feel the necessity of having a fad - or I will say, instead, an accomplishment — much can be done by encouraging the owning or collection of book-plates, or by urging people to have at least one specimen of a finely bound book to

be kept as a treasure.

Miss H. P. JAMES. - If I were willing I could sell hundreds of dollars' worth of books each year. People continually come to me asking me to get books for them. I do so now and then for teachers or personal friends, but I do not think it would be fitting for me to carry on a wholesale business through the library.

Miss L. E. STEARNS. — It is our experience in Wisconsin that the travelling library movement stimulates the private ownership of books. To aid in this, the Wisconsin commission now sends out little annotated lists of all the books in the travelling libraries, telling something of their contents, and giving the publishers and prices of each one.

JOHN F. DAVIES. - Every year, when the agents of the different publishing houses come to Butte, the local booksellers tell them that, owing to the library, they cannot now sell any books; yet, on the other hand, the booksellers tell me that they have never had such a demand for

books as since the library started.

Miss H. P. JAMES. — The only bookstore that can really be called a bookstore in Wilkesbarre has improved in its class of books very much indeed since the library was started.

MELVIL DEWEY. - In 1876, when we started the American Library Association, some of the publishers of the country protested that they ought, instead of supporting it, to fight it, because they said it would kill the publishing business. We know better. We know that the association has encouraged the publication of better books. It may kill off undesirable pub-

lishers, but it strengthens strong houses.

Mr. Tillinghast has pointed out the desirability of book-owning. What are we going to do about it? As a matter of fact, in many communities the establishment of the public library has given the impression to many heads of families that it is no longer necessary to buy books; that they could get them at the library; and we have in many cases made people believe that they did not need private libraries any longer. We ought to correct that impression.

The thing I want to call attention to is this: that in every phase of education, when the public recognizes that a thing is of great public importance the public begins to pay for it. The professional schools to-day are rapidly passing from the plane of private schools to the plane of endowed institutions, free from taxation and receiving large gifts. The work taxation and receiving large gifts. of the library is passing through this same phase, for the library has come to stay and to be supported by the public. We believe that people should be encouraged to own books; the librarian is the person who can encourage them. Good booksellers will all find more positions than they can fill as librarians; the poor ones can go to selling soft drinks or something of that kind. We are not discussing how certain individuals shall get their living, but how the public shall get the greatest benefit.

A BOOKSELLER'S COMMENT.

THE remarkable thesis which Melvil Dewey, Librarian of the State of New York, nailed up, Luther fashion, at this year's meeting of the American Library Association, namely that the state, through its librarian, should monopolize the bookselling business and that the ex-booksellers should sell soft drinks, or seek employment in the state library, did not, on the spot, receive the answer it deserved, though several booksellers were

present.

State socialism has been tried before with woful results, as Mr. Dewey can learn by opening some of the books in his library. Public schools and public libraries are a good thing. It does not follow that public book-stores would be. If it is a wise thing for the state to supply the public with books at the wholesale price, why would it not be a wiser thing to supply them free of cost? If it is a wise thing to kill the bookseller, why would it not be a wiser thing to put the publisher in the electric chair as well? As Mr. Dewey put it, ' we are not discussing how certain individuals shall get their living, but how the public shall get the best good." There can be no doubt in Mr. Dewey's mind that, if he can do the bookseller's business infinitely better than that old and honorable trade, saving the public, at the state's expense, the commission and profits of the bookseller, he certainly can save the public the much greater profits which the publisher pockets, and do his work to the far better satisfaction of-Mr. Dewey. Why stop at the publisher? Why spare the author and let him rob the public of the enormous royalties he receives? The state might find it, with Mr. Dewey's advice, "a still wiser expenditure for the public to pay a man who shall" write all the books, as well as print, publish, and sell them for nothing, "bending his best thought and energy in inducing people to own these books." The people having once paid all the cost of producing them, must naturally receive them without paying for them a second time, however necessary a law may be compelling the public to "own" such books.

Why stop at books? Magazines, newspapers,

and yellow journals have "an educational func-tion of the highest order"—some pretend, of a higher order than books. They should be made, at the public expense, and handed by the state librarian in person to every man, woman, and child in the state; it should be made a capital offence not to receive, a more capital offence not to read, the yellow or other colored lucubra-

tions of the state librarian.

In consequence of the fire which occurred at their former premises, No. 5 Union Square, in 1892, and the direct and indirect losses which resulted to the firm in consequence thereof, concurrently with three or four years of busi-

ness depression, depleted the capital of the firm and left them without sufficient ready capital to satisfactorily conduct their very large and growing business. In this position, their affairs were frankly

and fully placed before the creditors, and the appointing of the receiver was made in accordance with the wishes of the leading firms in the trade, as expressed at a recent meeting. As promptly as possible it is hoped that the

trade and the firm will be able to adjust the affairs, so as not to jeopardize the established routine and regular trade of their various houses in the city of New York, Washington.

Has not the bicycle an educational function Why should not the state, through its librarian, induce the public to "own" their whee gratis, saving all the profits of manufacture agent, and magazine owner who advertis them? It is all the one same "question of th best good for the public." This line of reason ing might be followed cum gracia in infinitus and the reductio ad absurdum more than com pleted.

The alternative thesis that the bookseller left without a job should sell soft drinks, o seek employment as assistants to the state 1 brarian, whichever may be the worse punish ment, is worthy of the first. Caspar's Direct tory of the book trade for 1889 claims to recor some 40,000 firms plying one or the othe branch of a trade which, "because respectin it so much," Mr. Dewey proposes to kill Allowing three clerks to each firm there would be over 150,000 additional assistant librarians unless they prefer to sit on the other horn of Mr. Dewey's cynical dilemma. These would dangerously crowd the librarian's profession or is it a trade hereafter? There would be s many taxpayers less enabling the state to "provide the best good for the public." Bu it seems needless to waste more words in "criticising the thesis" which the accomplished librarian of the State of New York ha 'nailed up." The really great librarian find many things more congenial, more useful, and doing a still greater "best good" to the publithan changing his noble profession for a trade no less noble, which is a more useful assistan to him than some are willing to admit, not as enemy to be killed with the help of public funds placed in the librarian's hands for very different purposes.

THE BRENTANO RECEIVERSHIP,

JUSTICE MCADAM, of the Supreme Court, appointed Wm. R. Rose, of Rose & Putzel, temporary receiver, on August 24, for Brentano's whose New York house is at No. 31 Union Square. This action is the result of a suit brought by Simon Brentano against his partners for a dissolution.

Papers filed in the County Clerk's office or Thursday, in connection with the receivership for the Brentanos state that the liabilities are about \$175,000, assets \$250,000 at cost, but worth less than \$125,000 if disposed of at

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NOTES ON AUTHORS.

THE late Gustave Freytag left valuable manuscripts, but unhappy litigation has sprung up between his widow and a son by a former wife as to their possession.

MISS GWENDOLIN KEATS, the young Devonshire lady who attracted so much attention under her pseudonym of "Zack," with "Life is Life," is now engaged on a play.

REV. DR. GREER, of St. Bartholomew's, New York, will publish in September, through Thomas Whittaker, a volume of Sunday morning discourses, entitled "Visions," uniform with his earlier book, " From Things to God."

BENNET BURLEIGH has been an eye-witness of all the campaigns in the Soudan in which British troops have been employed. His forthcoming book, entitled "Sirdar and Khalifa, or, the reconquest of the Soudan," deals with the more important incidents that occurred in 1897-1898, commencing with the capture of Abu Hamed, down to the recent victory on the Atbara. Chapman & Hall will issue the book, with maps and numerous illustrations, at an early date.

WILLIAM LE QUEUX, who is back again at his home at Leghorn, after a brief visit to London, has just completed a new romance of diplomatic life at the courts of Europe. Its title is "Blood Royal." The author has in this story, we hear, been fortunate enough to obtain the assistance of a well-known diplomatist, with the result that the ways of the British secret service on the Continent are revealed, together with a good deal about home diplomacy, which promises to be fresh and of interest.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

A NEW book by the popular writer, Rev. F. B. Meyer, entitled "Blessed are Ye: Talks on the Beatitudes," will be published early in September by Thomas Whittaker.

W. B. SAUNDERS, Philadelphia, has issued a second edition, revised and enlarged, of Text-Book upon the Pathogenic Bacteria for Students of Medicine and Physicians," by Dr. Joseph McFarland, with 134 illustrations.

P. BLAKISTON & Son, Philadelphia, publish a timely monograph by W. C. Hollopeter upon not only "Hay Fever," the growing plague, but upon "Its Successful Treatment," a claim which many would be happy to believe justi-

BONNELL, SILVER & Co. have just ready in pamphlet form the speech of Senator Hoar in reply to Professor Norton's pessimism regarding the Spanish-American War, which they bring out under the title "Quality of Our

Dodge Stationery Co., San Francisco, have in preparation a series of art calendars which are sure to command considerable attention. The line will be distinct from any other on the market, and the publishers will advertise it very widely in local newspapers, etc.

FLEMING H. REVELL COMPANY have just is-

Korea," a collection of studies and stories by Rev. Daniel L. Gifford.

AT the next meeting of the Booksellers' League, in September, it is proposed to amend Article 4, Section 1, of the Constitution by increasing the dues to such an amount as may be necessary to meet the additional cost in making the monthly meetings informal dinners instead of "smokers." Notice of the day and place of meeting will be given later.

G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS will control the American edition of Leslie Stephens' "Studies of a Biographer." They have also just ready "Socialism and the Social Movement in the Nineteenth Century," by Werner Sombart, trans-lated by Anson P. Atterbury, and furnished with an introduction by John B. Clark, Professor of Political Economy in Columbia University; and "Jewish Religious Life After the Exile," by Rev. T. K. Cheyne, forming the third series of American Lectures on the History of Religions.

Boyd's Greater New York Co-Partnership' and Residence Business Directory for 1898 has just been issued by the Boyd New York Directory Company. The volume contains 2107 pages, of which 1062 are taken up in showing the residence and business addresses of all business men in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx, 276 to the Borough of Brooklyn, 39 to the Borough of Queens, and 22 to the Borough of Richmond. The remainder of the book is taken up by a classified business directory, which is also arranged according to boroughs.

D. APPLETON & COMPANY announce that the first volume of Professor Huxley's "Scientific Memoirs," edited by Prof. Michael Foster and Prof. E. Ray Lankester, is now ready. The first volume has thirty-two plates and a photogravure portrait. The whole collection will be comprised in four large octavo volumes of about five hundred pages each. The price of Volume I. is \$7.50 net; the price of the remaining volumes will be about the same, but may be slightly more. It is hoped the whole work will be published within a year or eighteen months. Edition limited to 100, and orders will be accepted for complete sets only.

A MONUMENT to Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star-Spangled Banner," was unveiled on August 9, at his place of burial, Mount Olivet Cemetery, Frederick, Md. The monument is over fifteen feet in height, and is surmounted by a bronze figure of Key nine feet high, with allegorical figures on the pedestal representing America and her children. It is the work of Alexander Doyle, of New York. The monument was unveiled by Miss Julia McHenry Howard, the great-granddaughter of Key. An oration was delivered by Henry Watterson, of Louisville, Ky.; an address was also de-livered by Mrs. Donald McLean, regent of the New York chapter of the D. A. R. and daughter of the late Judge Ritchie, of Maryland.

FIRE was discovered on the top floor of the five-story building at 25 Park Place a little beby Rev. Amzi C. Dixon; "Jesus Only," by Albert L. Gridley; and "Every-Day Life in under control within half an hour. The fire

was confined to the fifth floor, which was burned out. The second, fourth, and fifth floors are occupied by E. Steiger & Co., publishers of kindergarten matter in German and other foreign languages. At the time of the fire half a dozen girls and about twenty men, employed as compositors and bookbinders, were on the top floor. They all escaped safely by the stairs. The stock of the Continental Publishing Company and of the New York Belting and Packing Company, in the lower part of the building, was damaged by water. The total damage is estimated at about \$25,000. The Steiger business goes on without interruption. Mr. Steiger's loss is, of course, fully covered by insurance.

THE MACMILLAN Co. will shortly publish "The Control of the Tropics," by Benjamin Kidd, who states in beginning his argument that at the present time the foremost subject occupying the attention of the American people is one which involves the question of the future government of two of the richest portions of the tropical regions of the earth. The author propounds a very thoughtful theory of the stand which must be taken by white races, and discusses the subject from a point of view which is of vital importance to all Americans at the present time. The keynote of his argument is that the dominant white races must assume the responsibility for the governmental control of the tropics. The Macmillans have also bought the old-established publishing business of Richard Bentley & Son, of London. All the Bentleys present publications, and those heretofore issued, will hereafter be published by The Macmillan Company, in London and New York. By this purchase a long list of notable books is added to the already multitudinous publications of The Macmillan Company.

FOREIGN NOTES.

"THE PATHWAY OF THE GODS" is the title of a new novel which Mrs. Mona Caird is about to publish through Messrs. Skeffington & Son.

JOHN LONG, London, will publish in the early autumn a collection of Australian bush stories, under the title of "When the Mopoke Calls." The author is William S. Walker, who is an Australian by birth and a nephew of "Rolf Boldrewood."

"MORALS OF THE MIDLANDS" is the title of a new sporting novel which will be published next spring by Messrs. Hutchinson & Co. It is by Mrs. Kennard, whose busy pen has already produced over five-and-twenty novels of sporting interest.

To match Captain Mahan's life of Nelson, Sampson Low & Co. have arranged with the Right Hon. Sir Herbert Maxwell to write a new life of Wellington, more nearly complete as to both text and illustrations than any previous work on the subject.

A LIFE of the late C. L. Dodgson, including specimens of some of his earlier compositions and drawings, is being prepared by his nephew, S. D. Collingwood. The personality of the author of "Alice in Wonderland" was not well known in his lifetime beyond a narrow circle, but it was one of very considerable interest.

JOHN C. NIMMO has just published the sup plementary volume of Rev. S. Baring-Gould's "Lives of the Saints," containing two very complete indices, one the names of the saints whose lives are given in the sixteen volumes and the other a subject index. This is an ap pendix volume and is entirely new, having been specially written by the author to complete his very elaborate and important work.

CHATTO & WINDUS, London, have in the press a volume of reminiscences by G. A Storey, entitled "Sketches from Memory." In addition to many sketches from the artist's pencil, the work will contain some anecdotes and recollections of Charles Dickens, the Landseers, C. R. Leslie, and other literary and artistic celebrities. The artist's experiences in the Spanish provinces and provincial cities will also be fully told in the volume.

The British Museum has just acquired a collection of over 2500 more or less extensive Hebrew and Arabic fragments of manuscripts which are likely to throw a good deal of light on early Eastern Jewish literature. A number of Arabic deeds, written either in the Hebrew or the Arabic character, are included in the collection. The date of the fragments ranges roughly speaking, from the ninth to the four-teenth century. The task of dealing with these new acquisitions naturally falls to the Rev. G. Margoliouth, who has for some time past been engaged in the work of compiling a catalogue of the Hebrew and Samaritan manuscripts in the museum.

BUSINESS NOTES.

AMERICUS, GA.—George Oliver, bookseller has been succeeded by J. J. Halliday.

BARRE. VT.—I. L. Robbins has bought out the booksellers, Gates & Austin.

CHILLICOTHE, O.—The firms of Horney & Son and H. W. Chapman have consolidated, and the room formerly occupied by H. W. Chapman will be occupied by Doster & Co. The firm will consist of J. Doster, Jr., (who has been with H. W. Chapman for the past 52 years,) and A. M. Smith, teacher at the high schools for more than 20 years.

FITCHBURG, MASS.—a new bookstore is to be opened in Pierce's new block.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—Treacy Learnard, bookseller and stationer, has been succeeded by Rowlands & Bender. Mr. Rowlands for eight years was the proprietor of the Corner Book Store at Emporia, and Mr. Bender has been a commercial traveller.

OGDEN, UTAH.—S. A. McCarney & Co., booksellers, were burned out; insured for \$1500.

RAVENNA, OHIO.—C. A. Myers has sold out his book and stationery store.

TALLAHASSEE, FLA.—A. P. Rice, dealer in books, etc., has sold out.

TUNKHANNOCK, PA.—L. E. Phillips will open a bookstore on South Main Street on September 1.

WESTFIELD, N. J.—Sam T. Harker is preparing to open a bookstore in Westfield. He will give particular attention to fine stationery.

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